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## CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Rev. and Mrs. Galen H. Rount were in the terrible Big Four collision but escaped unharmed.

—Should Mr. Slaughter die, it is the intention to have Bro. Barnes preach his funeral sermon.

—A ten-days' meeting held at Soopers by Eld. J. G. Livingston resulted in 17. additions to the Christian church.

—Elder J. G. Livingston will preach at Halls Gap church next Sunday night and desires that all the members be present.

—The Kentucky Baptist ministers will meet Oct. 10 at Lebanon. The general association will meet at the same place Oct. 21.

—Rev. John Bell Gibson's 10 days' meeting at Montello closed with 30 additions, eight the last night. Mr. Gibson says it was a glorious meeting.

—Rev. V. M. Vines, who has been preaching since his graduation last year at Middleburg and Junction City, has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church at Somersett.

—Services preparatory to communion at the Presbyterian church will begin Wednesday night with preaching each night till Sunday. After that if sufficient interest is manifested the meetings will be continued.

—The Supreme Court of New York has issued an order authorizing the American Home Missionary Society to change its name to the "Congregational Home Missionary Society," to take effect on and after Oct. 1.

—Eld. W. P. Walden closed a very successful meeting on last Wednesday at Bethel, Lincoln county, with a result of 46 additions. Mr. Walden is a young man for whom there is a bright future in the ministerial work.—Lancaster Record.

—An effort will be made by Rev. W. A. Slaymaker at the Wednesday night's prayer meeting at the Presbyterian church to revive the Christian Endeavor Society, which for time flourished and did much good work here. It is hoped that all the old members and many more will enroll their names and become active workers.

—The Cumberland Presbyterians will dedicate their church at Owensesboro on Oct. 1. The Messenger says it was erected in 1886, but owing to a heavy mortgage on it it was not dedicated. That has been lifted now. The ceremonies will last a week with a sermon from the preachers of each denomination in the city.

—The Brotherhood of Christian Unity was organized at Chicago as the result of the World's Parliament of Religions now in session there. Twenty-five of the leading members of the parliament from all parts of the world and of as many religions are signers of the pledge of membership.

—A large congregation at the Presbyterian church Sunday enjoyed the promised solo of Miss Lucy A. Johns, the lovely and talented music teacher at the College. Her selection was "Ruth and Naomi" and her rendition of it was as near perfection as is ever attained. She has a pure, sweet soprano voice, whose natural beauty has been highly cultivated. The higher notes are reached with the greatest ease and she sings apparently without the slightest effort. It was a rare treat and the unanimous desire is that Miss Johns will make her solo a feature of the Sunday morning's worship. Owing to the illness of Miss Millhouse, Miss Nellie Slaymaker played the accompaniment, doing so very praiseworthy, although only called on that morning to do so.

## DANVILLE.

(Advocate.)

—Mrs. Elizabeth Akin died Thursday night, aged 68.

—Sam Hawkins, the boss negro chicken thief, has been caught dead to rights.

—Capt. D. B. Goods has sold his two-story frame house on South 3d St. to Othello Marschel for \$2,800.

—A protracted meeting will commence at the Christian church the second Sunday in October. Eld. Mark Collis, an eloquent minister of Lexington, will lead the services.

—John Tewmey's barn in which were 78 yearling and two-year-old mares was burned Thursday night. Fifteen of the mares were burned and the total loss is \$2,500, with no insurance.

—John T. Yeager has bought of J. H. Otter about 13 acres of land located on the eastern extension of Main street, back of Mr. Otter's place, for \$300 per acre. Mr. Yeager will shortly begin the erection of a handsome home fronting on Main street.

Nashville, Tenn., March 6, 1893.—The Stockton Medicine Co., Nashville, Tenn., Gentlemen: I have had muscular rheumatism and indigestion for a number of years and had lost hopes of ever finding any relief, as the most skilled physicians had failed in my case, but I am happy to say your Antiseptic has made a complete cure and I do most heartily recommend it to all for rheumatism and indigestion. I will gladly answer all questions in regard to Antiseptic. Yours respectfully, W. E. Bateman, 310 Broad Street. For sale by A. R. Penny, Stanford.

## LANCASTER, BARRARD COUNTY.

—Rev. C. H. Greer will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

—Joe Haselden has opened a confectionery and oyster saloon at Arnold's old stand.

—Eld. J. C. Frank continued to improve and was able to take a short drive Sunday.

—Farmers are about through threshing their wheat which was sold at from 50 to 52 cents.

—The L. & N. pay car, which usually passes up promptly on the 15th of each month, was here Friday.

—Mr. H. C. Jennings has rented the residence of Mrs. D. Marrs, on Richmond street. Mrs. Wesley West will move to her property on Stanford street as soon as vacated by Mrs. Jennings.

—Dr. Tom Hood and Cabell Denny have returned from a big hunt in the Rocky Mountains. They killed large quantities of bear, buffalo, deer, Indians, &c., and their description of the trip is very interesting.

—Mr. Meir Victor, who has had charge of M. Braun's store, has gone to Mt. Sterling to take charge of Mr. Braun's business at that place. Mr. Victor is a gentleman, a good business man and made many friends while here.

—Sunday morning Mr. and Mrs. James J. Hamilton were starting to the country to spend the day, the horse became frightened on Lexington street and threw Mrs. Hamilton out. She struck the ground on her back and head and was painfully hurt. At this writing she is resting easy.

—Next Sunday is the last one on which a fellow can get shaved, as the law requiring the shops to close goes into effect on the 3rd. Kentucky commissioners ought to get a copy of this law and one of the new constitution and exhibit them at the World's Fair, along with the makers of same.

—John "Red Cloud," a white man and John Smith, Harriet Hunt, Bill Hunt, Sam Royston, Spencer Royston and Zeke Reid, colored, were before Judge Robinson Saturday charged with selling whisky on the notorious "battle row." The proof was not sufficient to convict any but Bill Hunt, who was fined \$50.

—Dr. J. W. Grant has returned from Somerset. Mr. R. E. Hughes, now of Lawrenceburg, was here Sunday. Mrs. Hughes returned with him Monday morning. Miss Jennie Duncan has returned from the World's Fair. Mr. Will Eason, of Birmingham, is here to see his mother. Miss Bacon, of Lexington, is the guest of Miss Ellen G. Owsley on Dunville Ave. Mr. W. A. Carson, post master at Crab Orchard, was in town on Sunday. Miss Mamie Currey is visiting relatives in lower Garrard. Mrs. Mag Gil and children and Misses Kate and Lillian Kinnaird are attending the World's Fair. Mr. John M. Duncan has returned from Lawrenceburg.

—Little Willie Scheffel, of Columbus, Ohio, ate a piece of fly paper to see how it tasted. He did not live sufficiently long to tell how he enjoyed it.

—The foundation of the Washington State Building at the World's Fair is made of huge logs ten in number, each of which is 125 feet long, 3 feet 6 inches by 3 feet in breadth. They were cut from trees 340 feet in length.

—Sometime ago Mrs. C. A. Tarlton brought suit against her wealthy young husband for divorce, alleging that he had been unfaithful to her and had communicated to her a loathsome disease. He filed his answer Saturday, denying the charges and claiming that her sickness was caused by efforts to prevent childbirth; that she has been lewd and lascivious in her behavior to men and acted in such a manner as to show her aversion for him. Tarlton is less than 21 and very wealthy. They live in Fayette.

—Nebraska shows a map of Platte county made with wheat, rye, oats and grass seed. Washington has a model farm, 30 feet square, with a farm house no larger than a bird cage, a red barn 3 feet high, and flowing wells which pour into troughs that hold about a pint. Fields of grain are represented by millet heads stuck in the loose earth. A threshing machine 8 inches high is operated by farmers 5 inches tall. There are reapers and mowers in miniature, cows and country roads. This is always a delightfully throng around this display.

## Now Try This.

It will cost you nothing and will surely do you good if you have a cold, cold, cold trouble with throat, chest or lungs. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs & Colds is guaranteed to be the best medicine for Consumption. Sufferers from La Grippe found it just the thing and under its use had a speedy and perfect recovery. Try a sample bottle at our expense and learn for yourself just how good a thing it is. Trial bottles free at A. R. Penny's drug store. Large size 50 cents and \$1.

## Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, W. Va., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism. His stomach was disordered, his liver was enlarged, an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in size and strength. Three bottles of Electro Bitters and one box Buck's Americana Salve, and he was incurable. One bottle of Electro Bitters and one box Buck's Americana Salve cured him entirely. Sold by A. R. Penny, drug store.

## ADAMS' SULPHUR WELL.

—F. D. Myers is building a big new barn.

—There is almost a continual procession of people these days to Adams' Sulphur Well for water.

—The pike between Stanford and Danville was never in a more excellent condition. As a road president, Uncle Jack Bosley is just simply a daily.

—There is going to be a wedding in this neighborhood as soon as the young lady decides between two good chances she now has of joining the army of family raisers.

—Sorghum molasses good enough to make a fellow snort his mouth when he thinks about it is being made by a good many in this vicinity, more especially in the Mt. Xenia neighborhood.

—This neighborhood is in an unusually healthy condition, but the trustees and the teacher, Miss Lizzie DePauw, thought it best last week to temporarily suspend the school at Willow Grove.

—Mr. John Moore had a valuable family horse last week. He had been digging a deep ditch to his ice house and the horse fell into it during the night, where the owner found it dead next morning.

—Stock water has been painfully scarce for some time and many have had to drive their stock for miles to water. The Hanging Fork is proving quite a blessing. Grass is as dry as a bone, but yesterday's rain will bring it out some.

—I saw the composition of a little girl who goes to school at Willow Grove, on the subject of "Town," and among other good things said in the simplicity of unsophisticated childhood, she asserted that "town is only a place where country people dispose of their produce every Saturday."

—Mr. Fountain D. Myers narrowly escaped being burned out of house and home the other night. A box of matches was in a rag box in the box were also a number of loaded shells belonging to his shotgun. About 3 o'clock in the morning Mrs. Myers heard an explosion in the kitchen and wakings her husband, they found a blaze running up the kitchen wall above the box containing the matches, a press was ablaze and every second or two a shell was going off, scattering the fire and shot in every direction and making the scene a lively one. Mrs. Myers was thoughtful enough to manage to extinguish the flames, but Fount says he had his hands full trying to dodge the shot sent out by the exploding shells. A fiddle was burned that was nearly a hundred years old and which was valued very highly, but the damage was slight otherwise. He attributes the origin of the fire not to a defective fuse, but to a meddlesome rat that was monkeying around to see what the matches in the box were made of.

—Announcement cards received by friends here read: "Thomas Love Lillard, Mary Alice Hubble: Married, Wednesday, September Twentieth, 1893, Chicago, Ill. At home after October 10th, 'Spring Hill,' Boyle county, Ky."

—T. L. Lafollette, of Parksville, a widower of 51, drove up with Mrs. Susan Jones, a four times widow and 53, Friday and after obtaining license was married at Mr. Robert Land's. The groom has children and the bride three or four sets, so look out for trouble unless all hands are more amiable than the average people.

—At high noon at the Christian church on Wednesday, Oct. 18th, Miss Louise Lee, the pretty and accomplished daughter of Circuit Clerk James P. Bailey, and Mr. Hiram Gregory, a prominent young attorney of Grayson, this State, will be united in marriage. The ceremony will be performed by the pastor, Rev. W. E. Ellis, after which they will leave for a few days' sojourn in Cincinnati and Chicago and then go to Grayson where they will reside.

—Mrs. Rose Zimmerman, of Wooster, O., missed her little three-year-old son and began to hunt for him. After considerable search she found him in a deep ravine playing with a huge black snake. The serpent seemed to have the little one charmed and it was with difficulty that the mother pulled her child away. No damage whatever had been done the youngster.

—The Roanoke, Va., mob finally got the negro who had assaulted a white woman and after hanging him burned his body. The negro had been taken from jail and secreted, but was found by the men. Only eight men were killed in night attack upon the jail. Twenty-seven others were wounded. Threats were made against Mayor Trout for defending the prisoner, and to avoid trouble he left the city, although suffering from a wound in the foot.

—Mrs. Frank Rigney is visiting relatives and friends in Pulaski.

—Dr. Herrin presented H. B. Cox with a fine girl a few days ago.

—About all the wheat is threshed in this locality and sold at 50c to 55c.

—Henry Walter sold a lot of 200-lb. hogs to Wm. Moreland at 5c. B. W. Givens sold the Lancaster Mill Co. a lot of corn at \$2.50 delivered.

—The Sam Engleman heirs and friends are indebted to B. W. Givens for the very successful and profitable manner in which he has disposed of all the property. He has gotten at least \$1,000 more out of it than some thought could be obtained at first.

—The Engleman sale was not very well attended and property sold low, except milk cows. They brought \$25 to \$35; horses \$30 to \$65. The sale amounted to about \$500. We regret to give Eph and his good mother up, but wish them success wherever they may go.

—Mr. Robert Barnett gave us a very pleasant call, with his brother, a few days ago. A. J. and Joe Rice are attending school at Lancaster this season. John and Bill Robinson will start in a few days. Dr. Ansul was called to see Fount Ross' wife a few days ago; she is reported better at this writing.

## GRAB ORCHARD.

—There was terrible excitement in our town Saturday, caused by the news that D. G. Slaughter, Will Stamper and Rodney Singleton had been killed at a picnic at old Dripping Springs. Dr. Petrus and Jimmie and Charlie Slaughter hastened over and found that Mr. Slaughter was shot twice in the neck and breast. He was taken to the house of Mrs. Adams, his family sent for and at this writing is alive, but the physicians say there is no chance for his life. It seems that Mr. Slaughter was calling the figures of a set for the dancers, when Will Stamper, who had had a previous difficulty with Slaughter, came staggering in and objected in loud terms to the way Slaughter was calling the set. He was ordered out and one of the Larkins boys struck him (Stamper) on the head with his pistol. After the dance Slaughter went to the spring for water, when Stamper and Rodney Singleton confronted him; pistols were drawn and the firing was terrific. Slaughter killed Singleton and held him up till he stabbed him several times; death was instantaneous. Stamper was shot in the mouth but not seriously, while Slaughter received one shot from Singleton and it is thought the second shot he received from Stamper. Crowds of excited people were collected all over town, interviewing every man who came from the scene of the tragedy, while women with white faces and trembling voices were pitying the wife, mother and children, who were so suddenly shocked by the sad news. Mr. Slaughter had hardly finished moving his family into comfortable winter quarters here and was preparing for a large winter trade in his store. But all mortal man can do is to plan; a Higher Power does the executing. We sincerely sympathize with the stricken family, for which Mr. Slaughter so liberally provided, and to whom his place can never be filled. May a merciful Father fulfill with them every promise made in His word and give abundant strength to bear this affliction.

## MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—"I saw in Pulaski county a widower," said J. R. Poindexter, "Mr. H. D. McKinney, aged 65, wed to Miss Mary Freeman, aged 16, and good looking."

—The date of Miss Georgie Barnes' marriage to Mr. E. M. Duncan, of Lexington, has been changed to the 28th, and will occur at the residence of the groom's father.

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## Stanford Female College.</

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W. P. WALTON.

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EVERY FRIDAY.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative,

HARVEY HELM.

For Superintendent of Public Schools,

W. F. MCCLARY.

FINDING that denouncers wouldn't work, Col. Breckinridge has finally filed an answer to Miss Pollard's petition in which he denies her allegations in toto. He says that in the spring of 1881 he was approached by plaintiff, then a woman of between 20 and 22, who introduced herself as Madeline Breckinridge Pollard, saying that her father had given her the middle name through his great admiration of Gen. John C. Breckinridge; that subsequently he received a letter from her on a second appeal from her which said that her troubles were over an engagement to marry James Rodes and that they had assumed conditions worse than a divorce suit; that she gave him a full recital of her relations with Rodes, when he advised her that the safest plan was to marry him; that he did not take advantage of her youth and inexperience by wiles and artifices and protestations of affection or otherwise; that he did not seduce her, did not prevent her going abroad, or entering upon any career that she desired and that he never at any time promised to marry her, for she knew during their entire acquaintance that such a thing was impossible. The answer is signed by Enoch Totten and Phil B. Thompson, "Old Phil," of Harrodsburg. It now remains to be seen if the colonel can prove what he says. The burden of proof will be on Miss Pollard and our prediction is that while her charges may be true, she can produce no witness to substantiate them and the colonel will go acquit with a public sentiment endorsing the Scotch verdict, "guilty but not proven." It is to be hoped, however, if he deserves it, that he will come out with flying colors, and that his sun now in its zenith may not be obscured forever, as it will undoubtedly be if there is left a suspicion of his guilt.

ANOTHER appalling railroad collision is added to the long record that the Chicago roads are making. The travel is so heavy to the Fair that the times have to be run in sections, some trains as many as three or four. On the Wabash at Kingsburg, Ind., Friday night, the first section of a passenger train passed freight on a side track all right, but the brakeman forgot that there was a second section and opened the switch in time for it to dash at the rate of 55 miles an hour into the standing train. The result was heartrending. Eleven persons were killed outright and scores of others wounded. The brakeman died and has not been found, though hunted by the citizens. Unless greater precautions are made it will be equal to taking one's life in his hands to go to Chicago. The trial and conviction of a few care less railroad men would be the means of awakening them to a greater responsibility and it is hoped that recommendations of coroner's juries that such men be held responsible for the deaths caused may be adopted and prosecuted.

LLOYD REED was fined \$100 at Henderson for kissing pretty Mrs. Leonard. The widow objected to the osculation and as it is an assault to lay hands or lips either, be it done never so lightly, on a woman without her consent, he was arrested and tried with the above result. It is worth \$100 and more to kiss some women when they are in for it, but the fellow's a fool who thinks to find any enjoyment in kissing when the kissed objects.

PUBLIC office is public trust said Mr. Cleveland on one occasion, but most of his appointees regard it as a private snap. Secretary Carlisle has had his brother "Pole" appointed postmaster at Covington, the salary of which is \$2,900 a year, and as "Pole" is only getting \$10 a week now, he'll feel "bigger than old Grant," when he steps into nearly 25 times as much in a few days.

CONGRESSMAN GOODNIGHT may not be a statesman, but he possesses an admirable trait. He does not forget those who assisted him in his ambition, after he has attained it. The fact that he has secured the Bowling Green post-office for his friend and supporter, John B. Givens, editor of the Times, is as much to his credit as the appointee is deserving.

It is said that a Whitley county jury remained out two days before finding a man guilty who had plead that he was. The aversion the average mountain juror feels to condemning a man amounts almost to a mania. West Virginia's coat of arms says *Montani semper liberi, et propter eam possunt possimus*—that is, they object to taking any one's freedom from him.

The annual report of Commissioner Locken shows that there are 936,012 pensioners on the rolls, an increase of 289,944 during the past year. The amount of money paid these pensioners for this year was \$156,740,497 and the commissioner estimates that it will require \$162,631,570 for the next fiscal year. He thinks that by 1895, 30 years after the close of the war, the rolls will have reached the highest limit, considering the number of men enlisted, and affirms that they will begin to decrease. It looks like they should but the federal soldiers are as long-lived as they are unhealthy and there is no telling. Meanwhile the country is getting very tired of putting up such a vast amount of money to support so many undeserving men in ease and idleness.

Mr. WATKINSON enters an earnest protest against the consideration of the repeal of force bills now when other matters demand attention. As there is no Federal election for a year or more, the great editor is right as he is nine times out of ten. Let us as Carlisle said do one thing at a time and all things in the proper order. Repeal the Sherman law first and then tackle the tariff and force laws with a vengeance that will insure reform in the one and the repeal of the other.

THERE are a number of clerks to small committees of the House who get \$1,200 a year for doing nothing, some of them not even going to Washington. Congressman Paynter therefore very properly offered a resolution to cut off these needless clerks, and it was adopted, a motion to reconsider being tabled by a vote of 142 to 57. Mr. Paynter deserves commendation. Let all the barnacles be scraped from the old ship of State.

In order to give themselves more time to talk, the Senators have unanimously agreed to begin the sessions an hour earlier and remain in session till 6 p. m. An effort to adopt the cloture resolution has so far proved abortive, but if ever such a rule is necessary, it is doubly so in this instance. The people want the Sherman silver bill repealed and without further tomfoolery.

## NEWSY NOTES.

—The Memphis Avalanche-Appeal has assigned.

—The Poleski republicans have nominated Frank Linville for the legislature.

—Judge W. W. McKenzie, father of the Minister to Peru, is dying of cancer.

—There'll soon be 45 States. Utah is to be admitted, says the House Committee.

—Sailors blew up three houses in San Francisco with a bomb and killed five men.

—Haytian warship Alexandre Petroni sank near Port Au Prince and 80 were drowned.

—Five miners were killed and six badly wounded by an underground blast at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

—Surgeon General Wyman says there are 4,500 people in Brunswick, Ga., in need of assistance.

—J. N. Saunders, a Brown supporter, was nominated for the Legislature in Washington county.

—The Frankfort Call demands in double leads the resignation by Col. Breckinridge of his seat in Congress.

—The total paid attendance at the World's Fair last week was 1,133,452. The total to date is 13,504,776.

—The coroner's jury found the conductor and engineer responsible for the Manter wreck, near Chicago.

—Seventy-six dogs were poisoned in Parkersburg, W. Va., in one night. The owners refused to pay tax on them.

—Awakened by a big revival, Dyersburg, Tenn., has begun a crusade against the Devil within its borders.

—The first snow of the season fell in the north of England Saturday, reaching a depth of four inches in Westmoreland.

—An ex-convict named Zack White cut Will Riley's throat from ear to ear at Frankfort, when he caught him with his concubine.

—Of the 600 State banks which failed recently 72 have resumed. The seven in Kentucky which shut up shop are still closed.

—N. H. Carlisle, a brother of the Secretary, has been appointed postmaster at Covington and John P. Simmons at Owensboro.

—Congressman De Armond, of Missouri, has prepared a bill for a graded income tax. It includes all incomes in excess of \$10,000.

—The total decrease of earnings of the L. & N. for the last 2½ months, as compared with the same period of last year, is \$751,495.78.

—Alvin Wright, of Wellston, Ohio, was run over and killed by a C. H. & D. train. When found the head and body were over a mile apart.

—A tramp, who was declared by his partner to be the much-sought-for Tassett, threw himself in front of a train at Easton, Md., and was killed.

—Jack Haverly, once the most popular theatrical manager in the U. S., has lost his mind and is now an inmate of a New York insane asylum.

—The tenth census shows that 24,010,000 inhabitants of the United States are supported by agriculture, 21,500,000 by manufactures and 15,620,000 by commerce.

—Gov. McCorkle, of West Virginia, is catching it from the democratic press and clubs of his State for joining with the New River coal barons in their plea for protected coal.

—Saturday was a big day at the World's Fair, the paid admission having been 213,438.

—The Russian warship Poniatka foundered in the Gulf of Finland and 10 officers and 150 seamen found watery graves.

—Miss Carr Kirby Smith, daughter of the late General Kirby Smith, of the Confederate army, has been nominated for postmistress at Seawane, Tenn.

—The steamer Grace Morris collided with the I. T. Rhea six miles above Paducah, on the Ohio river, the latter sinking in ten feet of water. All the passengers escaped injury.

—The citizens of Burnside are much excited over numerous pearl finds there and a company has encamped there to make further discoveries. One pearl valued at \$250 is told of in the dispatch.

—The doors of the Four Seasons Hotel, at Harrogate, Tenn., were closed on Sunday. During the four months it has been in the hands of a receiver, it has cost \$45,000 in receiver's certificates.

—Mrs. Clare, who died at Carlisle, Saturday weighed 361 pounds. Her coffin was so large that it could not be gotten through the door of her residence, and the body was carried to the yard and placed in it.

—The House adopted a resolution reported by the Committee on Rules, providing for the consideration of the Federal Election Bill on September 26th, the debate to continue until Oct. 10, when a vote should be taken.

—Gen. Gross has been declared the democratic nominee for the Senate in his district by every competent authority. Now let the democrats who nominated him give him a rousing majority and send Gus Richardson to grass.

—The transfer of the Commonwealth's suits against Dick Tate's bondsmen from the law docket to the equity side, in the Fiscal Court, is regarded by the attorney general as a step towards the recovery of the unpaid deficiency from the bondsmen.

—At Lake Petoskey Abram Wilsey shot and killed his wife with whom he had quarreled. He had fired four shots and as he was preparing to send another ball into the prostrate form, a boar in the house shot Wilsey in the heart killing him instantly.

—Leo Percy, of London, was in love with Daisy Montague, a well known star of the dance halls. The other night he followed her and Samuel Garcia, his rival, from the theatre where she was engaged and fatally shot both. He then committed suicide.

—Mobs are becoming so frequent in the South that it is rather refreshing to read how that one was decimated at Roanoke, Va. There was a like reception accorded mobs in Birmingham and Cincinnati a few years ago. A little more grape should be given them all over the country.—Louisville Times.

—Seven years ago a youth named Cochran, living near Palatka, was bitten by a mad dog. The wound soon healed and his sufferings amounted to little or nothing. A few days ago, however, hydrocephalus seized him and now he is raving with convulsions.

—The Valkyrie, the British yacht that

is to contest for the American cup, arrived at New York after a rough voyage and "a dead beat to windward" of nearly 1,500 miles across the Atlantic. Notwithstanding the bad weather, the captain says she didn't ship enough water "to wet a biscuit."

—Mitchell and Corbett have agreed to fight and the papers have been signed, sealed and delivered. It now looks as if there is nothing to keep them from coming together and a great fight may be expected. It will take place at the Coney Island Club and \$40,000 to the winner.

—One robber and the engineer were probably fatally wounded in the attack on the Illinois Central train. Two other trainmen were wounded. Four men were arrested at Centralia, and the wounded robber confessed that three of them were implicated with him in the attack.

—A storm of wind and rain struck the World's Fair Thursday night and knocked in the roof of the Manufactures and Liberal Arts' Building. Valuable exhibits were damaged and 100,000 people who had remained to see the illumination were drenched. The storm was a very sudden one.

—Train wreckers removed a rail from the track of the Queen & Crescent road, nine miles north of Birmingham, Ala., and the limited express for Cincinnati was wrecked. Several of the trainmen were severely hurt, but as the vestibuled cars did not turn over the 200 passengers aboard escaped injury.

—FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Siles Sandidge sold to an Eastern party a 3-year-old gelding for \$150.

—John Bright sold to a Boyle county party a three-year-old bay gelding for \$200.

—I have a few more Southdown bucks for sale and will also sell a few ewes. J. Bruce.

—Dudler Bros. sold to Woodcock, of Boyle, a lot of extra good heifers and steers at \$2.

—Prewitt & Woods bought in the East End a lot of feeders at 2½ and some butcher stuff at 2½.

—Farmers who can afford to should hold on to their wheat. There are enough who can not hold it to supply the market at present prices.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.

—The Covington Post says that E. C.

## The Great Wild West Show

Which now attracting so much attention in the White City or the Windy City, whichever choose to call it, is in that respect somewhat like our establishment. With goods piling up in our house and prices marked so low, we are in Stanford the

## CENTRE OF ATTRACTION

And we intend now to "astonish the natives" with prices that are absolutely too low to be referred to as "rock bottom." To give you an idea of the economy of our stock we mention the fact that we have over 2,000 Shirts in our House and every thing else in proportion.

## The Biggest Circus

Can't touch us in drawing a crowd and our store is the busiest looking establishment in Stanford, "the city between two hills." We can sell goods at prices that will

## Make You Smile Out Loud

For instance, good Shirts from 20c to \$3; our line of Underwear is complete and we can sell you a suit anywhere from 50c to \$7. Examine our line of Comforts and Blankets: we have them to suit all pocket books. In fact, our stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes surpasses all others in imminence and the popular verdict is that it is perfectly beautiful. Come to see us at

## THE : LOUISVILLE : STORE.

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Every one guaranteed. Special inducements now offered.

W. H. WEAREN &amp; CO.

## Great Clearance Sale.

I want to reduce my large stock of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, and offer them at prices never so low. Call and examine the stock.

Ladies' watches former price \$50 now \$40.00;

Ladies' watches former price \$35 now \$27.00;

Ladies' watches former price \$25 now \$17.50.

Solid Silver Spoons, Plated Spoons, Plated Knives and forks all at the SAME : SWEEPING : REDUCTION.

This sale will be made for CASH. Bring the money along with you.

A. R. PENNY.

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MORELAND, KY.,

We have opened up a nice line of Dry Goods, Notions, Dress Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Groceries, Hardware,

We paid spot cash for these goods bought them where we could get the most for the least money. Hardware was bought in car load lots, which enables us to make very low prices. Salt 7-lb. \$1.50.

Terms cash or country produce. Give us a call. We will save you money.

We are opening up a splendid line of Millinery.

We have 11 yearling Southdown Bucks and 18 Buck Lambs, all thoroughbred, for sale.

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THE soda water syrups at A. R. Penny's are made with pure fruit juices and are delightful. Try them.

## PERSONAL POINTS.

MISS MARY MATHENY is visiting in Danville.

JOHN T. CASH, of Rockcastle, visited friends here last week.

H. B. HOCKER, of Danville, visited relatives here Sunday.

MRS. SALLIE VANDERBILT, who has been quite sick, is improving.

MR. E. H. JONES, of Pineville, is on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Emily Jones.

MR. AND MRS. R. H. LOGAN have moved to Dr. P. W. Logan's, near Milledgeville.

LESLIE H. WILSON has been confined to his bed for a week or more with malarial fever.

MISS J. S. HOCKER and J. H. Baughman left for the World's Fair Friday morning.

MRS. DA. MCKEE, who has been visiting Mrs. R. O. Warren, returned to Danville yesterday.

Sgt. L. Hood and Roadmaster P. Jones, of the K. C., met the pay train here Saturday.

MISS KATE DUDIEKAR went to Louisville yesterday to make additions to her millinery stock.

MR. HENRY C. PEDIGO has our thanks for an invitation to the 36th Annual Fair Hop at Glasgow on the 28th.

WILL J. YAGER, of Louisville, was up again Sunday and it really begins to look as if the clever young man means business.

MR. W. M. O'BRYAN returned to Owensboro yesterday with his little daughter, Mary, who has been with her grandmother.

MISS J. L. MCKINNEY, of Montgomery, Ala., was on yesterday's train on her way to the bedside of her brother, Col. G. Slaughter.

MR. W. L. CONNER, who was with Mr. W. B. McRoberts for some time, has engaged as drug clerk for Dr. S. G. Hocker, who was involved in the Bourne stock yesterday.

HON. D. W. THURME is a candidate for State Senator from the district composed of the counties of Madison, Estill, Lee and Powell. He is a brother of Mrs. F. P. Nunnelley, of this place.

MR. AND MRS. J. S. RICE went to Richmond Saturday, the wife on the train and the husband on his wheel. The train had some hours the start, but the bicyclist went in ahead of it.

JUDGE WALLACE VARNON is a candidate for re-election to the office of county judge of Lincoln. He's a grandson of Madison, and here's hoping he'll be elected.—Richmond Climax.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. MURRAY invited the College faculty to dine with them yesterday, and sent close vehicles for them. Misses Forrest, Millhouse, Jackson, Abernathy and Johns accepted the invitation, but owing to Mrs. Hubbard's ill health she and Prof. Hubbard were forced to decline.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

MIXED SPICES at A. A. Warren's.

LOWEST PRICES Danks, the Jeweler.

NEWEST GOODS Danks, the Jeweler.

STYLISH ARTICLES Danks, the Jeweler.

THE PEOPLE'S JEWELRY STORE is Danks'.

You can go to the Harbouville Fair from here this week for \$2.50 round trip.

Take pay train on the L. &amp; N. passed Saturday, only a few days behind this time.

The diphtheria scare seems to have entirely subsided. No new cases are reported.

A. P. PENDLETON, (H.) is still in the fight for jailer and would be greatly pleased to have your support.

THIS is the last week for cabinet photographs at \$1.99. Embrace your chance to get them at once. A. J. Earp.

MR. J. C. McCCLARY has broken dirt for a nice residence on his lot on the new street leading to Mr. G. B. Cooper's.

MISS HALLIE E. STEWART has been appointed postmaster at Brumfield, Boyle county, and Milton S. Mullins at Yosemitie, Casey county.

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EVERYTHING in the jewelry line cheap for cash at Penny's.

NEW lot of Zeigler boots and shoes just received at S. H. Shanks'.

FULL STOCK of school books and school supplies at W. H. McRoberts'.

GOON BUSINESS and good stand in Stanford for sale. Apply at this office.

THE people are getting great bargains at Penny's in watches, clocks, jewelry and silverware.

A GOON ARREY and phaeton, newly painted, for sale at John B. DeNardi's carriage paint shop.

FOR RENT.—A cottage of three rooms, kitchen and cellar, with good cistern; situated on Lancaster street. Inquire at Higgins &amp; Watts' coal office.

WITH NO DOUBT Danks the Jeweler has the newest, neatest and nobbiest line of watches, jewelry, etc., in Stanford. Prices to suit the people.

THE post office at Brodhead was broken Thursday night and between \$75 and \$100 worth of stamps stolen. Five dollars in cash and two registered packages were also taken. The safe was blown open.

WHILE MR. W. W. HAYES was riding on a load of baled hay the other day, a bale slipped and knocking him off, nearly the whole load fell on him. He was badly used up, the most serious of his injuries being a sprained ankle.

MERKED AND ROBERT.—A Polish peddler named Terri Hajej was murdered and robbed near Mt. Vernon, by two negroes who were arrested. They got about \$100. An effort to raise a mob to lynch them proved unsuccessful.

Loser.—On Saturday night, Sept. 23, on Main or Lancaster street, child's gold necklace, with basket pendant, studded with pearls and sapphires. Finder will please return and receive reward for same. Mrs. E. F. North, Stanford.

SILAS SANDIDGE, who has done fully as well as he expected to in the horse training business, has decided to move to Danville and open a training stable. He thinks that is a better market for his class of horses and will move about the 1st.

AMONG the new appointments of storekeepers and gingers in this district are Stephen Burch and E. L. Dawson, of this county, E. Burdin, Jr., J. H. Dodds, T. P. Dudley, Z. T. Elkins, J. P. Gray, H. Metcalf, R. G. McKee, J. H. Nolan, B. Shulman and J. R. Skidmore.

THE MINSTREL TRM of Beach &amp; Bowers, which gave a splendid show here several years ago, is now engaged by Ringling Bros. show to do the concert part. They were recognized by several of our people at the show at Danville Saturday. This seems to us rather a come down.

THE L. &amp; N. has already put on in conformity to the law for separate coaches for colored people which goes into effect Oct. 3, cars with partitions in them. On one side of the door is "This apartment for white passengers," and on the other "This apartment for colored passengers."

MR. P. H. HOWELL, who is here from Cumberland Gap, tells us that he has sold his woolen mills here to Mr. Trammell, of Tennessee, for \$1,500, with a sufficient first payment to guarantee the balance of the purchase money. It is Mr. Trammell's intention to improve the plant and to run it to its full capacity.

DR. J. A. WILLIAMS again breathes the air of his McKinney home. His wife and her sister, Mrs. Fanuie Givens, came to town Saturday and put up the \$100 bond for him to keep the peace toward the family and all persons and he shook the scents of the jail from his clothes and departed, let us hope, never to return to its confines again.

THE COLUMBIA, Mo., Herald says of Heywood's Celebrities, which appear at Walton's Opera House, Saturday, Oct. 7th: "Heywood's Celebrities gave a programme of musical and dramatic features, a combination of talent in which every performer was a star. It is a most excellent company and its performance deserves much compliment. The soprano was particularly good."

A CIRCUS ROUTE.—The other day a Chinaman asked the agent of the Big Four at Cairo, Ill., for a ticket to Evansville, Ind., a distance of about 100 miles. Carelessly or unintentionally he gave him a coupon ticket which read via Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Livingston and Gthrie, Ky. He got on the wrong train at Livingston and Conductor Delph took him to Corbin and shipped him back by the next train.

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TWO MORTALLY WOUNDED, INCLUDING DAN G. SLAUGHTER.

OUR CRAB ORCHARD LETTER gives briefly the particulars of a terrible battle at Dripping Springs, Saturday, the result of which was the killing of Rodney Singleton and mortal wounding of Col. D. G. Slaughter and Hill Stamper. The trouble was caused by Stamper, who is said to be a very bad youth. He was shot five or six times and Singleton and his partner about as many. After Slaughter had fired as he thought all of his balls, he closed in on Singleton and used his dirk with much effect. He finally fell, paralyzed from the effects of one of the balls lodging near his spine, and finding that there was still another load in his pistol, he with great difficulty raised on one arm and fired again at Singleton, the ball entering his femoral artery, causing him to bleed to death in a few minutes. Dr. J. G. Carpenter was dispatched for and went at once to the scene. He found that one ball had entered Mr. Slaughter's neck, passing through, and the other had passed thro' the breast and lodged near or against the spine, producing paralysis. The removal of the ball was impossible, so he simply dressed the wounds, telling the patient in answer to his inquiries that he might live 48 hours, or five days, but that his chances to recover were one in a dozen and advised him to settle up earthly affairs he might wish to attend to at once. Mr. Slaughter heard these words without the slightest sign of emotion and made the doctor go into detail as to how death would likely come. He then said "Tell Walton," meaning the editor of this paper, "that I was not to blame, but only acted in self defense." Dr. Carpenter says he never witnessed so little fear in the very jaws of death as the wounded man showed nor heard of greater fortitude than he displayed in the bloody encounter. Mr. Slaughter is the well known and clever proprietor of Green Briar Springs and a leading merchant of Crab Orchard. He has a large family, which he supported well and who will feel his loss should his wounds prove fatal.

A DISPATCH FROM THE SIGNAL SERVICE last evening says "Fair Tuesday, colder. Severe frosts Wednesday night." Those having tobacco or other easily killed plants in danger should observe this warning and govern themselves accordingly.

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## L. &amp; N. LOCAL TIME CARD.

Mail train goes North at 12:30 p. m.; Express train South at 1:30 p. m.; Local " North at 3:30 p. m.; Local Freight North at 3:30 p. m.; South at 7:00 p. m. The latter trains also carry passengers. The above is calculated on standard time. Solar time is about 5 minutes faster.

## QUEEN &amp; CRESCENT ROUTE.

Trains pass Junction City as follows: South-bound, No. 1, Vestibule Limited, 11:50 a. m.; No. 3, Chicago Limited, 2:30 a. m.; No. 5, New Orleans Express, 12:30 a. m.; No. 7, Local, 2:30 p. m.; No. 9, Blue Grass Vestibule, 8:40 p. m. North-bound, No. 2, Cesteville Limited, 6:45 p. m.; No. 4, Fast Mail, 2:30 p. m.; No. 6, Chicago Limited, 2:30 a. m.; No. 8, Local, 2:30 a. m.; No. 10, Blue Grass Special, 6:45 a. m.



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Always sells goods lower than any one else in town. New stock of fruits every Friday.

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Will open on January 15th, 1893, a First-Class Dairy, from which I can supply any quantity of Jersey milk to the people of Stanford and Rowland at the following prices, delivered:

Fresh Milk, per gallon..... 10 cents  
Skimmed Milk, per gallon..... 10 cents  
Butter Milk, per gallon..... 8 cents

Will make two trips daily. The patronage of the public is solicited. W. G. PEYTON, Stanford, Ky.

Notice to the "Traveling Public."  
.... I have had....

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A new and repainted and nicely furnished and save in connection with Hotel one of the best saloons in the State, open day and night; a night manager's all train. In connection with House have also one of the best Mineral water in the State and for refreshments to water. Mr. G. W. Davis, Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ingram, Erin, Tenn., A. A. Warren, Stanford, Dr. D. E. Proctor, C. H. Baum, and Mrs. T. W. Hamilton, Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Johnson, New Haven, Jim Cox, Greensburg. Rates \$2 per day. J. M. Petrey, clerk. Give me a call. W. C. CARRIER, Prop.

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I have moved to my new Hotel and am better prepared than ever to accommodate the public. Good Livery attached and every convenience desired. Give me a call. W. C. RILEY.

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DEALER IN CROCHETES, HARDWARE,  
Has moved into his new store at the junction of the Stanford & Crab Orchard and "Cut-off" pikes at Rowland and is now better than ever prepared to please the trade in both.

STOCK OF GOODS, PRICES,  
Etc. He has recently added greatly to his stock and taking no rent to pay and no loss by bad debts he can get his goods cheaper than any body. Call and get his prices before buying. 57-147

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Call at my store on Lancaster street and I will make it to your interest to trade with me.

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## Please Note.

Congressman John Allen tells this story: "A widow in my district desired a position in the agricultural department. There was no vacant place, and I was compelled to inform my constituent that I could do nothing for her until a vacancy arose. But she persisted in her efforts to obtain a position, and for two weeks thereafter met me at every turn. One morning I had just finished breakfast when I was told that she was awaiting me in the reception room. So I assumed a pleasant demeanor, and entering the room said in a sympathetic voice: 'Well, my good woman, what news?' 'Good news,' she said; 'good news, Mr. Allen.' 'Well,' said I, 'that is pleasant. What is the news?' 'Oh,' she said, 'good news, Mr. Allen, good news. A woman in the agricultural department died yesterday.'"—Argonaut.

## Ninety in the Shade.



—Trth.

## Oblivions.

It was night. The strains of a waltz from the pavilion and shuffling feet of the merry dancers could be heard on the beach close by. To the left of the dancing platform a long stretch of land lay, dotted here and there with benches for the tired dancers.

On the bench close by the water's edge sat a couple closely folded in each other's arms. Oblivious to all around they told each other of their love, and now and then the soft sound made by a kiss could be heard echoing over the waters.

Time passed by and still they sat, caring little for the fleeting hours, until finally the girl, placing a tender caress on her companion's cheek, murmured, "Kerrie, dear, my feet are getting cold."

"So are mine, sweetheart," was the soothsaying reply, and a soft kiss was imprinted on her cherry lips.

Still they sat, listening to the murmur of the waves and the echo of the moon, when the girl, giving a last fond embrace, murmured again, "Darling, I can't stand it any longer. My feet are so cold."

They arose, and the man's heart smote him as he realized what was the matter. The flowing tide had come in, passed far beyond the bench, and they had to wade out through three inches of water.—Boston Globe.

## From a New Point of View.

"I see by the papers, Miss Chitty," said young Chumpton, "that positively there were never seen at Niagara falls so many newly wedded couples as there are this season."

"Indeed, Mr. Chumpton," said Miss Chitty. "How perfectly stupid it must be to others! I can't imagine one looking at a more silly sight than a collection of insipid touring brides. I couldn't abide it!"

"Not if you were one of them, Miss Chitty!"

"Mr. Chumpton! Sir!"

"I—I mean, Miss Chitty—Araminta—dearest—will you go to Niagara falls with me?"

"Oh! Mr. Chum—Alonzo—this is so sudden—so unexpected—yes, Alonzo: I will."—New York Sun.

## She Was Still Looking.

"Husband in?" asked the rate collector cheerfully after 10 minutes' knocking at the door.

"No," answered the woman, "he isn't at home."

"Expecting him soon?" asked the collector.

"Well," the woman replied thoughtfully, "I don't know exactly. I've been looking for him for 17 years, and he hasn't turned up yet. You travel about a good deal, and if you see a man who looks as though he'd make me a pretty good husband tell him I'm still awaiting and send him along."—London Answer.

## Older Than He Was.

"I say, boy," remarked a summer tourist to a youngster, "what's the name of that hill yonder?"

"Dunno," replied the lad briefly.

"Don't know? Lived here all your life, I'll warrant, and don't know the name of that little hill? Well, I am surprised," continued the summer pilgrim.

"No. I dunno its name," replied the lad, stung by the criticism. "Anyhow," he continued, "the hill was here before I com'd."—New York Herald.

## An Antidote.

Watchmaker—My friend, I suspect you've been putting kerosene oil in this watch.

George Bond—That I have. When a watch goes in soak so often, something must be done to counteract rust.—Kate Field's Washington.

## Surprised.

"How many years have you been dumb?" sympathetically asked a gentleman of a beggar who pretended to be bereft of speech.

"Five years, sir," replied the impostor, completely taken off his guard.—Tit-Bits.

## Not Yet.

Tomson—Is your wife out of danger yet?

Jackson—Not yet. The doctor is still in attendance.—Yankee Blade.

## HAD I BUT KNOWN.

Had I but known when I gazed fondly on those four fair queens And dreamed of untold wealth and brighter scenes

That you would hold Five little hearts in sequence dressed arrayed, Casting my eyes on you and the shade—

Had I but known I would not then so foolish have grown Had I but known

When to the dealer you replied,

"Thanks, son, for me."

I watched your marble brows and trepidating lip,

And laughed unto myself and thought with glee,

"I've got 'em dead this trip!"

I thought that you had caught a simple flush,

But it was a maiden's blush,

Or, quite as sure to lure you to your fate,

A tempting straight and hale,

And laughed to think how I should earn your hire.

I would not now be left to wall and moan

Had I but known,

—New York Sun.

## Wanted "After the Ball."

"Is there any mirth in this theater play here?" asked a country looking cousin at the Columbia box office early Monday morning.

"Any mirth?" repeated Charles Stoddard, rather nonplussed.

"Yes. What is the play? Is it 'Aristocrazy'?"

"No. It's opera, opera comique, comic opera."

"What do they do in it?"

"Why, they sing."

"Sing what?"

"Sing songs."

"What kind of songs?"

"Why, all kinds of songs."

"Do they sing 'Rock of Ages'?"

"No."

"'Old Black Joe'?"

"No."

"'Arter the Bawwl?'"

"No; they sing opera songs."

"Any mirth in 'um?'"

"Yes, full of it," said Charlie, getting a little impatient. "It's worth three times your money. Rows and rows of pretty girls, beautiful scenery and magnificent voices. Lillian Russell is the handsomest woman on the stage. In fact, sir, this company costs a fortune to run. It's the greatest opera comique company ever organized. The music is grand."

"But they don't sing 'Arter the Bawwl?'"

"No, they don't sing that."

"Ishaw, then, I am after thinkin I won't attend."

"Why not?"

"Why, the very idee of havin a comical op'r'a without singin 'Arter the Bawwl? What must the darn thing be like? A regular piece of deceit. I have been pestered and cheated into seein too darn many suds since I've been in Chicago, and I'm just gittin my eyes open. A comical op'r'a without 'Arter the Bawwl? Not much!"

"You might hev tol me that a week ago, and I'd believe ye, but I hev't been here all that time and spent over \$12 without gittin to know a thing or two about music and op'r'a myself. No, young man, you'll hev to give your slide show without one sucker."

And the city learned farmer shook his head wisely as he became engaged in conversation with a well known bunks man, and the two went away arm in arm.—Chicago Post.

## A Double Catastomy.

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